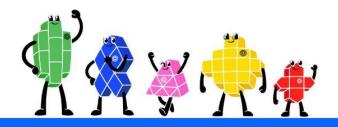
# **Technical Handbook**

The 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025









# **General Information**







# **Technical Part**







### **Sport Information**

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#### **DEFINITIONS**

**NOC-** National Olympic Committee

**ICC-** International Cricket Council

**ACC-** Asian Cricket Council

**THASOC-** Thailand SEA Games Organizing Committee

**SEAGF-** South East Asian Games Federation

**IF-** International Federation

**AF-**Asian Federation

ITO- International Technical Official

#### 1. Dates

The **Cricket (CKT)** competition for the 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025 will be held from **9 to 19 December 2025** 

**Competition Dates: 9 to 19 December 2025** 

**Training Date**: TBC

#### 2. Venues

The Cricket competition will be held at Terdthai Cricket Grounds and Asian Institute of Technology which serves two (2) purposes:

- The competition field-of-play (FOP)
- The training warm up field

#### 3. Event

The Cricket competition will consist of **four (4) events** consist of

- Two (2) men's events
- Two (2) women's events

Four (4) Events							
Events				MEN	WOMEN	MIXED	
1.	T20			٧	٧		
2.	T10			٧	٧		
			Total	2	2		

Note:

- 1. Subject to item 4 below, each NOC may enter a maximum of sixty (60) athletes, including thirty (30) male athletes and thirty (30) female athletes (including reserves) for the Cricket Competition.
- 2. Each NOC may enter a maximum of four (4) events, two (2) events per gender
- 3 Each NOC may enter a maximum of one (1) male and one (1) female team for each T20 and T10 events.
- 4. Each team competing in the T20 and T10 Cricket Competition, shall comprise fifteen (15) athletes including eleven (11) athletes and four (4) reserves.







# 4. Competition and Training Schedule

# 4.1 Competition Schedule

# **GROUPINGS**

MALE GROUP A	MALE GROUP B	FEMALE GROUP A	FEMALE GROUP B
MA1	MB 1	FA1	FB1
MA2	MB 2	FA2	FB2
MA3	MB 3	FA3	FB3
MA4		FA4	

TCG					AIT			
Date: 9 December 2025				Date: 9 December 2025				
TIME	TEAMS	FORMAT	GENDER	TIME	TEAMS	FORMAT	GENDER	
8:30	MA 1 VS MA 4	T20	MALE	8:30	FA 1 VS FA 4	T10	FEMALE	
				10:00	FB 2 VS FB 3	T10	FEMALE	
12:00	MA 2 VS MA 3	T20	MALE	12:00	FA 2 VS FA 3	T10	FEMALE	
				13:30	FB 1 VS FB 3	T10	FEMALE	
				15:00	FA 1 VS FA 3	T10	FEMALE	
	Date: 10 December 2025				Date: 10 December 2025			
8:30	MB 1 VS MB 3	T20	MALE	8:30	FA 2 VS FA 4	T10	FEMALE	
12:00	MA 2 VS MA 4	T20	MALE	10:00	FB 1 VS FB 2	T10	FEMALE	
				12:00	FA 3 VS FA 4	T10	FEMALE	
				13:30	FA 1 VS FA 2	T10	FEMALE	
	Date: 11 Dece	ember 2025		Date: 11 December 2025 / Rest Day				
8:30	MB 1 VS MB 2	T20	MALE	Date: 12 December 2025				
12:00	MA 1 VS MA 3	T20	MALE	8:30	FA 2 VS FB 2 THIRD PLACE	T10	FEMALE	
	Date: 12 December 2025 / Rest Day				FA 1 VS FB 1 FINALS	T10	FEMALE	
Date: 13 December 2025				Date: 13 December 2025				
8:30	MB 3 VS MB 2	T20	MALE	8:30	FA 3 VS FA 4	T20	FEMALE	
12:00	MA 3 VS MA 4	T20	MALE	12:00	FB 1 VS FB 3	T20	FEMALE	





TCG				AIT				
Date: 14 December 2025				Date: 14 December 2025				
8:30	MA 1 VS MA 2	T20	MALE	8:30	FA 2 VS FA 3	T20	FEMALE	
12:00	FA 1 VS FA 4	T20	FEMALE	12:00	FB 2 VS FB 3	T20	FEMALE	
	Date: 15 Dece	ember 2025		Date: 15 December 2025				
8:30	MA2 VS MB2 THIRD PLACE	T20	MALE	8:30	FA 2 VS FA 4	T20	FEMALE	
12:00	MA 1 VS MB1 FINALS	T20	MALE	12:00	FB 1 VS FB 2	T20	FEMALE	
	Date: 16 Dece	ember 2025		Date: 16 December 2025				
8:30	FA 1 VS FA 3	T20	FEMALE	8:30	MA 1 VS MA 4	T10	MALE	
				10:00	MB 2 VS MB	T10	MALE	
				12:00	MA 2 VS MA 3	T10	MALE	
				13:30	MB 1 VS MB	T10	MALE	
				15:00	MA 1 VS MA 3	T10	MALE	
	Date: 17 December	2025 / Rest	Day	Date: 17 December 2025 / Rest Day				
	Date: 18 Dece	ember 2025		Date: 18 December 2025				
8:30	FA 1 VS FA 2	T20	FEMALE	8:30	MA 2 VS MA 4	T10	MALE	
				10:00	MB 1 VS MB	T10	MALE	
				12:00	MA 3 VS MA 4	T10	MALE	
				13:30	MA 1 VS MA 2	T10	MALE	
Date: 19 December 2025				Date: 19 December 2025				
8:30	FA 2 VS FB 2 THIRD PLACE	T20	FEMALE	8:30	MA 2 VS MB 2 THIRD PLACE	T10	MALE	
12:00	FA 1 VS FB 1 FINALS	T20	FEMALE	10:00	MA 1 VS MB 1 <b>FINALS</b>	T10	MALE	

Note: This competition schedule is subject to change







#### 4.2 Training Schedule

**TBC** 

#### 5. Entries

#### 5.1 Eligibility

- 5.1.1 Only SEAGF member NOCs are entitled to send athletes to participate in the Cricket competition of the 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025
- 5.1.2 Only athletes who comply with the International Cricket Council (ICC) Competition Rules, the SEAGF Charter and Rules as well as Rule 40 and the By-law to Rule 40 of the Olympic Charter (Participation in the Games).
- 5.1.3 Only nationals of the country of the National Olympic Committee (NOC) shall be qualified to represent the NOC in the Games. All disputes relating to the determination of the country, which an athlete may represent in the SEA Games shall be resolved in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules as well as Rule 41 and By-law to Rule 41 of the Olympic Charter (Nationality of competitors).
- 5.1.4 A competitor who is a national of two (2) or more countries at the same time may represent either one (1) of them, as he may elect. However, after having represented one country in the Olympic, Asian continental or South East Asian continental regional or world championships recognized by the relevant IF, the competitor may not represent another country unless he or she meets the conditions set forth in sub section 4 below that apply to the persons who has changed his nationality or acquired a new nationality.
- 5.1.5 For eligibility matters, in the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the South East Asian Games Federation (SEAGF) Charter, THASOC and International Cricket Council Competition Rules, the latter shall prevail.

#### 5.2 Entry Policies

#### 5.2.1 Athlete Quota per NOC

Each National Olympic Committee (NOC) may enter a maximum of **sixty (60) athletes** for the Cricket Competition, comprising:

- Thirty (30) male athletes, and
- Thirty (30) female athletes

These totals include both playing members and reserves.

#### 5.2.2 Team Entries

Each NOC may enter:

- One (1) male team and one (1) female team in each of the T20 and T10 events.
- A maximum of four (4) events in total, limited to two (2) events per gender.







#### **5.2.3** Athlete Composition Per Event

Each NOC may enter a maximum of fifteen (15) athletes per event:

- Eleven (11) players must be on the field of play during T20 and T10 matches.
- Four (4) additional athletes registered as reserves for each T20 and T10 match.
- Up to **five** (5) **non-traveling reserves** per team may also be registered. These reserves can be called upon as replacements, subject to approval by the Tournament Director (TD).

#### **5.2.4 Team Officials**

Each NOC may register a maximum of ten (10) officials for the Cricket Competition.

- For each of the male and female teams, **five (5) officials** may be registered, comprising:
- Team Manager
- Coach(es)
- Physiotherapist
- Trainer
- High-Performance Analyst

#### 5.2.5 Field of Play Officials

A maximum of **five (5) officials per team** will be permitted in the designated team area on the field of play.

#### 6. Submission of Entries

- Entry Form by Sport: Deadline 2 May 2025 at 24.00 (Bangkok time)
- Entry Form by Number: Deadline 8 May 2025 at 24.00 (Bangkok time)
- Entry Form by Name: Deadline 1 September 2025 at 24.00 (Bangkok time)

All Entry Form by Sport, Entry Form by Number and Entry by Name may be sent via Game Management System (GMS) and subsequently confirmed with stamped original, then upload to the system.

If you need any assistance, please contact us:

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#### 7. Pre-Competition: Team Managers and Officials Meetings

#### 7.1 Technical Managers' Meeting

**Date:** 8 December 2025

**Time:** 16:00

Venue: Official Hotel as designated by THASOC







#### 7.2 Team Officials' Meeting

**Date:** 8 December 2025

**Time:** 16:00

**Venue:** Official Hotel as designated by THASOC

#### 8. General Rules and Regulations

#### **8.1 Rules**

#### 8.1.1 Eligibility Code (SEAGF 30)

To be eligible for participation in the SEA Games, a competitor must comply with the SEAGF's rules, regulations and by-laws, including this Charter and Rules, in particular in relation to eligibility and nationality, as well as the related provisions in the Olympic Charter, and the rules, regulations and by-laws for participation in the Olympic Games.

#### **8.1.2** Nationality of Competitor (SEAGF 31)

Only nationals of the country of the NOC who are holding current valid national passports of the county of that Member-NOC shall be qualified and eligible to represent the Member-NOC in the SEA Games. All disputes relating to the determination of the country which a competitor may represent in the SEA Games shall be decided by the Arbitration Panel established under this Charter and Rules, in accordance with the SEAGF's rules, regulations and by-laws, including this Charter and Rules, relating to eligibility and nationality.

#### **8.1.3** Number of Entries (SEAGF 34.3, 37)

- a) A minimum of four (4) NOCs must register to participate by the respective closing date of both the Entry Form by Number and the Entry Form by Name registration in a sport or discipline or team event and in the case of an individual event, a minimum of three (3) NOCs must register to participate by the closing date of both the Entry Form by Number and Entry Form by Name registration, for it to be included in the SEA Games programme. For the avoidance of doubt:
  - A doubles event shall be considered an individual event.
  - There shall be no waiver of this Rule on minimum entry.
- b) The maximum number of entries from each nation in each event is fixed by the SEAGF in consultation with the Host NOC. However, the following numbers cannot be exceeded:
  - For individual events, including singles and doubles events, there shall only be two (2) entries from each NOC (without reserves) EXCEPT for the sports with weight category, such as all martial arts and combat sports, Body-building, Weightlifting, etc., where there shall only be one (1) entry per weight category or per event from each NOC; and for the sport of Sailing, where there shall only be





one (1) entry per event from each NOC.

- For team events, there shall be one (1) male and one (1) female team per NOC, and the number of reserves shall not exceed the number of players allowed by the International Federation.
- For all events where individual competitions are conducted, the competitors for any one (1) NOC cannot win more than two (2) medals in the respective individual events.
- No Federation Member-NOC, including the Host NOC or the Organizing Committee of any SEA Games, is allowed to limit the participation of any other Federation Member-NOC or any athlete from participating in any sport, discipline or event solely on the ground or

for any reason of limitation of participation.

#### 8.1.4 International Sport Federation (IF)

International Cricket Council (ICC)

#### 8.1.5 Asia Continental Sport Federation (AF)

Asian Cricket Council (ACC)

#### 8.1.6 Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal (SEAGF 41)

- a) The necessary technical officials, referees, judges, umpires, timekeepers, inspectors and other technical officials (collectively "International Technical Officials" or ITOs") and a Jury of Appeal for each sport in such number as shall be determined by the Host NOC or the Organizing Committee, shall be appointed by the Host NOC or Organizing Committee in consultation with the appropriate IF/AF and in cooperation with the respective National Federation of the Host NOC or local sport official/representative. All such ITOs and Jury of Appeal officials approved and appointed by the Host NOC or Organizing Committee shall be referred collectively as "IF/AF International Technical Officials" or IF/AF ITOs" and "Jury of Appeal" accordingly.
- b) The Organizing Committee shall pay for the air or international travel (based on best economy fare to the host city), accommodation (equivalent to a hotel of at least a 3-star internationally accepted rating, based on twin-share basis except for single rooms for Technical Delegates, Chief Umpires and Chief Scorer), meals, official local transport expenses and a per diem only of the IF/AF ITOs and Jury of Appeal officials at the established rates of the Organizing Committee starting from within than two (2) days before the start of the first event of the sport or discipline concerned until one (1) day after the end of the competition of the last event of that sport or discipline.





- c) Notwithstanding anything contained elsewhere in this document, in approving and appointments of ITOs and Jury of Appeal members, all IF and or AF concerned must give priority, first to the appointment of qualified ITOs and Jury of Appeal members who reside within the South East Asian (SEA) region, and second, to those who reside within the Asian continent, before appointing any ITOs or Jury of Appeal members from outside the SEA region or Asia continent.
- d) No official who has participated in a decision may serve in the Jury of Appeal that reviews it. The findings of the Jury of Appeal shall be communicated as soon as possible to the Federation Office, Host NOC, Organizing Committee and Executive Committee.
- e) Technical officials and members of the Jury of Appeal may not live in the Games Villages, but the Organizing Committee shall ensure and bear the cost of their accommodation, including board and local transport facilities at such established rates of the Organizing Committee.
- f) The Jury of Appeal's decision(s) on all technical questions concerning its respective sport or of disciplinary nature is/are final. Such decision shall, however, be without prejudice to any further penalty and or sanction, which may be imposed by the Executive Committee.
- g) Subject to 8.1.6 (c), the Jury of Appeal shall be composed of a Chairperson (who shall be the Technical Delegate) and not more than two (2) other representatives as Jury of Appeal members, who shall be appointed by the IF/AF from amongst the IF/AF ITOS and or IF/AF representative(s) present at the Games.
- h) In the event of a dispute or protest relating to technical questions concerning its respective sport, discipline and or event, or competition or any matter that is disciplinary in nature, that is referred to a relevant Jury of Appeal, representatives of countries in the Jury of Appeal whose countries are involved in the dispute or protest must NOT participate in the deliberations and or decision making and cannot vote in the resolution of the dispute or protest.
- i) Any NOC dissatisfied with any decision of any Jury of Appeal (except decisions concerning matters of fact and judgment calls where no appeal is allowed) may refer his/her appeal to the Panel of Arbitrators

#### 8.1.7 Arbitration Panel (SEAGF 42)

The Arbitration Panel shall deliberate and decide finally on all questions concerning the SEA Games or protests or appeals (including on any violation of anti-doping code, rules or regulations) from any sport, discipline or event or any disputes arising from or related to the SEA Games. NOCs or the





Organizing Committee may also submit question or any matter related to the SEA Games to the Arbitration Panel for determination. Further, the Arbitration Panel may suo moto intervene in and determine all questions of non-technical nature outside the jurisdiction of the Jury of Appeal set up for each sport, discipline or event in the Games programme.

#### 8.1.8 Penalty in case of Fraud (SEAGF 44)

A competitor proved to have transgressed or breached any provisions of the Charter, Rules, Regulations or By-laws of the Federation shall be disqualified and lose any position or medal he/she may have gained. If this competitor's NOC is proved to have been a party to the violation, his/her country shall be disqualified in the sport concerned.

#### 9. Competition Rules and Regulations

#### 9.1 Competition Rules

The Cricket competition of the 33<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games Thailand 2025 will be held in accordance. with the SEAGF Charter and Rules and the current International Cricket Council (ICC) Competition Rules and Regulations under the guidance of the Technical Delegate appointed by THASOC, in consultation with the Asian Cricket Council (ACC). For T10 competition the current ICC Rules and Regulations shall apply with an addendum covering the T10 competition. In case of any disagreement in the language interpretation of the ICC Competition Rules and Regulations, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen cases not covered by the ICC Rules and Regulations shall be resolved as follows:

- **9.1.1 General Issues:** To be resolved in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules.
- **9.1.2 Technical Issues:** To be resolved in accordance with ICC Rules and Guidelines and ICC Norms.

#### 9.2 Competitional Format

- 9.2.1 Five (05) participating teams or less where there are five (05) participating teams or less, the following competition format will apply:
  - a) The competition shall consist of a Preliminary single round robin competition, a gold medal Play-off and a bronze medal Play-off.
  - b) In the Preliminary round, each team will play with every other team.
  - c) The first and second ranked teams will qualify to play each other in the Gold medal Play-off.
  - d) The third and fourth ranked teams will qualify to play each other in the Bronze medal Play-off.
- 9.2.2 All events (more than five (05) participating teams) where there are more than five (05) participating teams, the following competition format will apply:





- a) The competition shall consist of a Preliminary Round, a gold medal Play-off and a Bronze medal Play-off.
- b) In the Preliminary round, the teams shall be divided into two (02) groups.
- c) The two (02) groups A and B. Each team shall play against all other teams in the same group in a single round robin competition.
- d) The top-ranked teams from each group will qualify to play each other in the gold medal Play-off.
- e) The second-ranked teams in each group will qualify to play each other in the bronze medal Play-off.

#### 9.2.3 Ranking in Pool

Ranking in a pool with be determined by the total number of points earned. The following points will be awarded for each match in the Preliminary round.

- a) Two (2) points will be awarded to the winner.
- b) One (1) point will be awarded to each team in the event of a tie or no result
- c) Zero (0) points will be awarded to the losing team.

#### 9.2.4 Tie-Break Procedures

In the event of teams finishing on equal points after the round-robin completion, the ranking of teams shall be decided in the following order

- The team with the greatest number of wins in the round-robin will be placed in the higher position.
- If there are teams with equal points and equal wins, then the team with higher Net Run Rate (NRR) in the matches will be placed in the higher position.
- If they are still tied, the team which was winner of the head-to-head match played with the teams concerned.

#### 9.3 Protests and Appeals

9.3.1 Any written protest must first be made and submitted by the Chef de Mission or Team Manager to the Technical Delegate within thirty (30) minutes after the end of the match in which the protest is generated with the payment of a Protest Fee of US\$200.00 per protest payable to THASOC.

If conditions causing a potential protest are noted prior to the start of the event, a written protest must be lodged before the signal to start the event is given.







- 9.3.2 All protests must be considered by the Technical Delegate concerned who must make a decision as soon as possible after due review of facts. He/She must state the reason(s) for his/her upholding the protest.
- 9.3.3 Any Chef de Mission or Team Manager dissatisfied with the decision of the Technical Delegate may appeal to the Jury of Appeal by submitting the written appeal to the TD within sixty (60) minutes of receipt of TD's written decision. The appeal must be heard and decided by the Jury of Appeal for the sport within two (2) hours after receipt of the written protest.
- 9.3.4 Any NOC dissatisfied with any decision by the Jury of Appeal may make any appeal in accordance with Articles 42 and 43 of the SEAGF Charter and Rules.
- 9.3.5 The protest fees of US\$200.00 only shall be refunded if the protest is upheld; it will be forfeited if the protest is rejected.

#### 9.4 Delays, Postponement or Cancellations

The Technical Delegate must consult the THASOC Secretariate if there is any delay, postponement or cancellation of any competition that affects the scheduled times for "live broadcast" or victory ceremonies.

#### 9.5 Training Policies

Pre-competition training will be allocated to all NOCs one (1) days prior to the start of the competition for the sports. Training sessions are strictly by allocation; no change and addition of training requests are allowed. NOCs are required to notify the Sport Information Desk if any NOC does not intend to use the allocated training session.

#### 9.5.1 Training Schedule

- Training before the competition: TBC
- Training during competition: there are no designated training area during the competition days.

#### 9.5.2 Equipment at Training Venue

Teams will have to use their own equipment for all training sessions.







# **9.6 Competition Information Venue Picture**



Venue 1: Terdthai Cricket Ground



Venue2: Asian Institute of Technology Cricket ground

#### 10. Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal

The appointment of technical officials and Jury of Appeals member will comply with the Article 41 of the SEAGF Rules and Regulations.

#### **10.1** International Technical Officials (ITOs)

10.1.1 Host NOC with consultation of Asian Cricket Council, shall appoint one (01) Technical Delegate and such number of International Technical Officials (ITOs) and may be approved by THASOC.







- 10.1.2 Each participating in NOC may nominate one (1) ICC qualified ITO to officiate in the competition in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules subject to the following conditions:
  - The nominated ITOs must be on the ICC List of Qualified ITOs for 2024.
  - The appointment of NOC nominees shall be subject to the approval of the TD.

Participating NOCs shall bear the international transportation costs for the nominated accompanying Technical Officials while THASOC will bear costs related to local transport and accommodation and per diem for these Technical Officials.

#### 10.2 National Technical Officials (NTOs)

Cricket Association of Thailand (CAT) shall nominate National Technical Officials (NTOs) for approval by THASOC to assist the International Technical Officials.

### 10.3 Jury of Appeal

Subject to 8.1.6 above, the Jury of Appeal shall consist of the Technical Delegate as the Chairman as well as two (2) members who will be appointed from the participating teams during the Team Managers' Meeting.

#### 11. Official Equipment and Competition Attire

#### 11.1 Sports Equipment

All sports equipment used by athletes in competition must comply with the SEAGF Charter and Rules and the ICC Rules and Regulations.

#### 11.2 Competition Attire

All attire worn by athletes in competition must be comply with the SEAGF Charter and Rules.

#### 12. Media Interview

- 12.1 All athletes should pass through the Mixed Zone as directed by the Media Officer.
- 12.2 Athletes and/or coaches should attend press conference and interview requests for them.

#### 13. Prizes and Commendations

Medals to the winners of the SEAGF Games shall be presented by the SEAGF
President. The President may delegate this privilege to other members of the SEAGF,
accompanied by the President of the IF and/or AF concerned (or their deputy), if
possible, immediately after the event and where the competition took place in the following manner.





- The competitors who have been judged first, second and third shall take their places, in their sports uniforms, on a stand on the field facing the Tribune of Honour, with the winner slightly above the second who is on their right and the third who is on their left. The flag of the delegates of the winner shall be hoisted on the central flag-pole and those of the second and third on adjoining flagpoles on the right and on the left, as they face the arena. Meanwhile, the abbreviated National Anthem of the winner is played. The three winners/winning teams shall turn towards the flags.
- The medal presentations shall be as per the following order:
  - Gold Medal to the first-place winner.
  - Silver Medal to the second-place winner.
  - Bronze Medal to the third -place winner.
- All medalists must wear their respective NOC official uniform.
- No equipment or accessories may be taken by the athlete to the medal award ceremony or media interview areas, unless it is worn, e.g., shoes and clothing which must be in accordance with the SEAGF commercial guidelines.
- No kind of demonstration or commercial, political, religious or racial propaganda is
  permitted during the Victory Ceremony of the Games. Any action of such kind will
  be subject to penalization by the Executive Committee including disqualification,
  withdrawal of medals, certificates, accreditation, rankings, penalties and the like.
- Any disrespect shown to the Games, Medals, Flags, IF/AF, Mascot or Certificates or any other material. by any athlete during the Victory Ceremony or during the Games will be subject to penalization by the EB, including but not limited to disqualification, withdrawal of medals, certificates, accreditation, rankings as decided by the EB.
- Victory, medals and diploma certificates, shall be in strict compliance with the SEAGF Protocol Guidelines. The design and format of the medals and diplomas shall be submitted to the SEAGF for its approval.

#### 14. Victory Ceremonies

The medals may be presented by the board members of the Member-NOCs participating in the particular sport, discipline or event (with priority being given to those with medal winners) and or Guests of Honor of the Federation, and such victory ceremonies, if possible, shall take place immediately after the event at a place where the competition took place and in the following manner:

- The competitors who have been judged first, second and third shall take their places, in their sport attire or NOC designated attire, on a stand facing the Tribune of Honor, with the winner slightly above the second who is on his/her right, and the third who is on his/her left.
- The flag of the country of the winner shall be hoisted on the central flagpole or screen and those of the second and third on adjoining flagpoles or screen on the right and left as they face the arena. Meanwhile, the National Anthem of the





country of the winner is played and the competitors and spectators shall face the flags.

#### 15. Medical Code (SEAGF 33)

- The Host NOC and Organizing Committee of the SEA Games will ensure the health of all athletes and other participants during the SEA Games.
- Anti-Doping Rule Violations, as defined by the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) Code, is forbidden and may be subject to appropriate consequence or penalty.
- All competitors shall be subject, during the Games, to doping control initiated by the Federation at any time or place, carried out in conformity with the WADA Code and its respective International Standards, as elaborated in the SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules. Cooperation of competitors in this regard is mandatory.
- Competitors in sports restricted to women must comply with the prescribed tests for disorders of sexual determination when so needed.
- Any competitor refusing to submit to doping control or who is found guilty of any Anti-Doping Rule violation shall be excluded from the SEA Games.
- The principles of exclusion for teams and individuals shall be in accordance with the WADA Code.
- A medal may be withdrawn by order of the Executive Committee or the Council
  on the recommendation of the Chairperson of the Anti-Doping Committee when
  an athlete is found guilty of a violation under the SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules
  and or the WADA Code at any point of time.
- The Anti-Doping Committee shall manage and implement the doping test programme for the SEA Games to which it was appointed for in accordance with WADA requirements, and implement the SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules and WADA Code.
- The SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules and Regulations shall in no way affect further and or other sanctions by the relevant International Federation, WADA and or any other relevant national, regional, continental, international or world organizations or bodies.
- All competitors and officials are also subject to, and shall comply with the
  respective anti-gaming and manipulation, and harassment and abuse, and
  safeguarding rules, regulations, codes and guidelines of the respective Federation
  Member-NOC, IOC, OCA, SEAGF, the respective IF and or AF of the sport
  concerned.
  - a) Any competitor or team official refusing to submit thereto or found guilty of any violation or offence thereunder shall be excluded from the SEA GAMES.
  - b) A medal may be withdrawn by order of the Executive Committee or the Council on the recommendation of the Arbitration Panel when an athlete is found guilty of any violation or offence thereunder."





#### 16. Doping Control

The 33<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games Thailand 2025 Organizing Committee, shall establish the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee, which shall, under the guidance of the SEAGF and working with the SEAGF Office, be responsible for the Anti-Doping program for the 33<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games Thailand 2025. The Anti-Doping program will be run in accordance with the SEAGF Anti-Doping Rules and the WADA International Standard for Testing and Investigation. Sample analysis will be performed at a WADA-accredited laboratory or as otherwise approved by WADA. Both urine and blood tests will be conducted before and during the competition to ensure compliance.

Athletes requiring the use of a Prohibited Substance or Prohibited Method during the event must apply for a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) through the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee by the specified deadline (TBC). If an athlete has already been granted a valid TUE by their National Anti-Doping Organization or International Federation, the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee will recognize it.

#### 17. Approval of the Technical Handbook

This Technical Handbook was approved by the **Asian Cricket Council** (ACC) on **19 May 2025.** Any further amendments to the Technical Handbook shall be circulated via e-mail to the NOCs.

